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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98 and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements that were filed on October 24, 2001 and December 30, 2005, Applicant hereby submits the following documents:

1. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. H11-205504, together with an English language abstract of the same.
2. Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. H10-233861, together with an English language abstract of the same.

These documents were mentioned as prior arts in a Notice of Reason for Rejection with respect to patent family member Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-215823, which, together with an English language translation of the same,

has been called to the Examiner's attention in the Information Disclosure Statement that was filed on December 30, 2005.

The relevance of these documents, as ascertained by the Japanese Examiner are set forth in the Notice of Reason for Rejection.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. Copies of the above-noted documents are attached hereto and listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicant with the next official communication in the present application.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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	1	English Language Abstract of JP 11-205504.
	2	English Language Abstract of JP 10-233861.

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